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SUBJ: CONTINUED IRANIAN INTEREST IN MOROCCO

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1. DURING A CONVERSATION APRIL 27 ON ANOTHER TOPIC, MR S B HARIRI, MANAGER OF PROJECT DEVELOPMENT STUDIES IN THE NIOC OFFICE OF OVERSEAS JOINT VENTURE PROJECTS, TOLD EMBOFF THAT HE HAD VERY RECENTLY RETURNED FROM MOROCCO. HARIRI WAS IN MOROCCO FOR ABOUT TWO WEEKS AS PART OF A GOI TEAM SENT TO INVESTIGATE AND DRAW-UP RECOMMENDATIONS ON POSSIBLE IRANIAN PARTICIPATION IN VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL PROJECTS IN MOROCCO. THE VISIT WAS A FOLLOW-UP TO THAT OF IRANIAN PRIMIN HOVEYDA IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1977 (REFTEL).

2. ACCORDING TO HARIRI, THE GOI IS FOCUSING ITS ATTENTION ON POSSIBLE PARTICIPATION IN THREE PROJECTS. THEY ARE: 1. A PROPOSED LUBE OIL PLANT, 2. A POTENTIAL REFINERY EXPANISON, AND 3. A PVC PLANT THAT IS NEARING COMPLETION. IN HARIRI'S OPINION, PROSPECTS ARE RELATIVELY GOOD THAT IRAN WILL ENTER INTO SOME SORT OF JOINT VENTURE ARRANGEMENT WITH MOROCCO
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IN ONE OR MORE OF THE THREE PROJECTS LISTED.

3. COMMENT FOR EMB RABAT: IF YOU DISCUSS CONTENTS THIS MESSAGE WITH GOM OFFICIALS, PLEASE DO SO DISCREETLY SO AS TO PROTECT NIOC SOURCE.
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